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 Recording medium having substrate with thickness dependent on numerical aperture of object lens, method of forming the optical medium and optical recording/reproducing apparatus

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